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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This paper is being filed in response to the official Office Action mailed October 23, 2002. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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